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Title: LINEARLY POLARIZED FIBER-OPTIC LASER

Priority: French Application No. 94 06215
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is directed to a new U.S. application as identified above. Please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 5, lines 1 and 2, cancel "any of the foregoing claims" and substitute -- claim 1 --;
line 3, cancel "showdifferent" and substitute -- show different --.

IN THE ABSTRACT

Page 12, line 1, cancel "Disclosed is a" and substitute -- A --;
line 14, cancel "Figure 1".